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| For: AGENT FOR ENHANCING THE | ) | March 17, 2009        |
| PRODUCTION OF COLLAGEN...    | ) |                       |

**REPLY: AMENDMENT AND REMARKS**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
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Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Replying to the Final Office Action of  
December 18, 2008 and the Advisory Action of March 4,  
2009, please amend as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the  
listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this  
paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this  
paper.